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MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS

(Legislative Department)

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THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 1984

No. 15 of 1984

Promulgated by the President in the Thirty-fifth Year of the Republic of India.

An Ordinance further to amend the Representation of the People Act, 1951.

WHEREAS Parliament is not in session and the President is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action;

Now, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of article 123 of the Constitution, the President is pleased to promulgate the following Ordinance:—

1. (1) This Ordinance may be called the Representation of the People Short (Amendment) Ordinance, 1984.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

Short title and commencement. Insertion of new section 73**A.**

2. In the Representation of the People Act, 1951, after section 73, the follow- 43 of 1951, ing section shall be inserted, namely:—

Special provision as to certain elections

- "73A. Notwithstanding anything contained in section 73 or in any other provision of this Act, with respect to the general election for the purpose of constituting a new House of the People upon the expiry of the term of the House of the People in existence on the commencement of the Representation of the People (Amendment) Ordinance, 1984,—
 - (a) the notification under section 73 may be issued without taking into account the Parliamentary constituencies in the State of Assam and the Parliamentary constituencies in the State of Punjab; and
 - (b) the Election Commission may take the steps in relation to elections from the Parliamentary constituencies in the State of Assam and the Parliamentary constituencies in the State of Punjab separately and in such manner and on such dates as it may deem appropriate.".

ZAIL SINGH, President.

R.V.S. PERI SASTRI, Secy. to the Govt. of India.